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# PARSON STRAIGHT WON'T SUE ASTOR

Admits That His Feelings Are Badly Ruffled, But Says His Expenses Were Paid

### FEELS HE HAS BEEN HUMILIATED

Congregational Minister at Providence Regrets That His Denomination Should Bear the Odium of the Astor-Force Marriag:-Astor's Yacht Seen in New York Harbor Yesterday With "Absent" Flag Flying.

ings Have Suffered.

"FOR BETTER OR WORSE."

INDICATIONS POINT

BISHOP NILAN LAYS

TAFT ON DIVORCE LAWS.

Continues Firm in His Attitude.

Providence, R. I., Sept. 16.—No men-on of the wedding of John Jacob As-r to Miss Mudeline Talmadge Force Newport yesterday was made today Carpenter-Clergyman Says His Has Not Heard from Astor

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Will Not Bring Suit.

Providence, R. L. Seet. 10.—The
Providence carpenter-clergyman, Edwin S. Straight, who announced that
he expected to officiate at the marriage
of Colonel John Jacob Astor to Miss.
Madeline T. Force yesterday, returned to his home in this city, making no
secret of his chagrin at not being called upon to perform the marriage cere-Rev. Edwin S. Straight, the carpen Will Not Bring Suit.

n not thinking of suing Colones he said. "although I feel very my position. My expenses were will say that much, but I do re to say anythinf else. I will ait, and later I may talk."

n a sermon delivered at the Cen-l Congregational church, of which is pastor, Rev. Caius Glenn Atkins

Tregret exceedingly that the Conpregational church and especially the Congregational church of Providence should be called upon to bear the odium of the solemnization of the marringe of Colonel Astor and Miss Force. If do not believe that the thing which has been done represents either our attitude or our ideals." THE NOMA AT NEW YORK.

### n Which Bridal Couple Sailed Has "Absent" Flag Flying.

on which Colonel John and his bride, who was ine Force started from port yesterday on their honey-i trip, spent several hours in ma-vres about New York harbor to-The Noma is supposed to have ered local waters during the fog of morning, and it was not until late the day that her presence became

ome time with the "absent" flag flyng the yacht weighed anchor and
teamed down the barbor, passing
parantine and heading for the sea.

# VERDICT WAS "FEARFULLY

Severe repudiation of Beulah Binman lines, recedes from his absolute refusal to recognize the Federation of Shop Workers, or its committees, on those lines, labor chiefs say he will be confronted with a strike. No reason for believing he will recede has been found by labor leaders here.

General advisory committees of the five international shoperaft unions which are comprised in the federation concluded today a three days conference with the international officers of those unions. The general officers were entrusted with full charge of the situation henceforth. tracedy itself, came yesterday from the lips of Henr; Clay Beattie, Jr., con-victed Friday night of wife murder. Any other lary, composed of city folk, with mundane views, would have been more marciful, was his faitter lament.

"Boulah Binford," he added, "figured largely in the verdict, more largely than the testimony of the killing.

than the testimony of the killing. These country folk cannot understand how a woman of the underworld can the trazy about you. They don't know when that happens how very hard it is to get rid of her.

If have drifted along hoping against hope that something would occur to enable me to rid myself of that Binford girl. And once a woman of that kind feels that you no longer take any interest in her she usually seeks solace in suicide. So I drifted along waiting for a chance to break off relations with her without having her hurt herself.

for a chance to break off relations with her without having her hurt herself. I tried hard to persuade her in the meantime to live a proper life.

Had this case been tried in any court where those things are not uncommon, this morning I would have been a free man. Interpreting Judge Watson's instructions to the jury. I cannot see how the verdict could have been other than not guilty. I believe the jury was influenced by the one-sided newspaper reports before I had a chance to present my side of the case. I wanted to give out a statement as soon as I was arrested, but Mr. Smith, my lawyer, advised against this.

"I have not given up hope, because I cannot feel that an innocent man will be permitted to suffer for this hideous

he permitted to suffer for this hideous crime."

There were many rumors abroad that Beattie would never die in the electric chair; that he would find some means of committing suicide when all hope of gaining his freedom was gone.

"Billy" Sampson, his chum, and one of the important witnesses at the trial, was quoted as saying:

"Henry Beattie will not die in the chair. It will be some other way."

New Haven, Sept. 10.—It was stated tonight at the home of former insur-ance Commissioner Macdonald that his condition was unchanged. He is suffering from typhoid fever and the his golf game down to a scant nine boles instead of the usual 18 could keep President Taft unhappy yesterday. He proudly showed to Mrs. Taft and to a few friends who dropped in a letter just received from Dean Thayer of the Harvard Law school praiging his addest on Pobert for the

Cabled Paragraphs

Coburg, Sept. 10.—Baron von Erffa, burt chamberlain, was killed in an utomobile accident here yesterday.

Brest, France, Sept. 10.-A fierce battle occurred here yesterday when a large mob of cheap food manifestants engaged the troops. At least 40 per-sons were injured.

Madrid, Sept. 10.—Five thousand Spanish troops have received orders from the ministry of war to reinforce the Spanish garrison at Melilla on the Riff coast of Morocco.

Paris, Sept. 10.—The government is ending additional troops to the north-rn departments of France to deal with the cheap food demonstrations, which often are instigated by revolutionary

St. Petersburg, Sept. 10.—In the presence of Emperor Nicholas and the Russian grand dukes the dread-nought, Petropavalosk, a sister of the battleship Sebastopol, was launched yesterday at the Baltic works. London, Sept. 10.—The first flying

ostal service was inaugurated yesterday afternoon under the auspices of the British postoffice. The points of departure and arrival were respective-by the Hendon aerodrome and Windsor castle, the distance being somewhat

BUILDING FIRED TO COVER CHILD MURDER

Proprietor of Place Arrested at

Washington, Sept. 10.-Firemen who mony.

Mr. Straight did not have much to say, although he admitted that he felt shows were but I do a. I will thousand dollars would not compensate for the injury done to his feelings," as he expressed it.

The former clergyman said that he went to Newport and stayed a ta hotel, believing that he was to officit at the wedding. He did not go to Beechwood, Colonel Astor's Newport home, as he received word early in the morning that his services would not be required.

When asked if his expenses at Newport had been paid by Colonel Astor's whim strike a boy with a hammer.

port had been paid by Colonel Astor's representatives, Mr. Straight said: "That is only what any gentleman would be expected to do." PIG-TAILED TARS IN NEW YORK. Crew of Chinese Warship to Shore Leave This Week.

"FOR BETTER OR WORSE."

New York, Sept. 10.—Four hundred pig-tailed sailors holidaying along Broadway and the Bowery and in the narrow streets of New York's Chinatown, will furnish a novelty for New York and broke the left plane of the machine he struck a fence and broke the left plane of the machine. He was not hurt.

Newport, R. I., Sept. 10.—Attended only by the members of their immediate families and a few intimate friends, Colonel John Jacob Astor of New York, one of America's foremost masters of capital, and Miss Madeline Tailmafige Force, dughter of Mr. and Mrs. William H. Force of New York, were quietly united in marriage yesterday.

Although several days had been notified in holidaying along Broadway and the Bowery and in the narrow streets of New York's Chinatown, will furnish a novelty for New York this week. They arrived at 11 p. m. today on the Chinese cruisers Hal Chi, and for a week will have clity, a courtesy not offered to the ordinary subject of China.

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Although several days had been spent in what, at times, seemed a fruitless quest fof a clergyman to marry a couple of whom one had been divorced. a Providence minister, Rev. Joseph Lambert, pastor of the Elm. wood Temple Congregational church, performed the ceremony. The bride was given in marriage by her father, while her sister, Miss Kathering Force, shore liberty of the Hai Chi's men while her sister, Miss Katherine Force, was swallowed up in the maze of moving craft.

Their Whereabouts Unknown.

Whether Colonel Astor and his bride were on board during these manouverings could not be learned. The bridal during these manouverings could not be learned. The bridal during these manouverings could not be learned. The bridal during these manouverings could not be learned. The bridal during these manouverings could not be learned. The bridal during the second of the manouvering could not be learned. The bridal during the second of the manouvering could not be learned. The bridal during the second of the manouvering could not be learned. The bridal during the manouvering could not be learned. The bridal during the manouvering could not be learned to be in this city this evening but all knowledge of their only to the bridal couple.

Shore' liherty of the Hai Chi's men would be allowed for a moment by the government, he added. Accordingly, he visitors will get all the courtesies and privileges and entertainments that are usually the joy of foreign sallormen in the American metropolis. The Hai Chi is the first Chinese warship that has ever visited American waters, and she will receive an official welcome from city, state and federal

welcome from city, state and federal authorities worthy of the occasion. The rank of her commander, Admiral Ching Pih Kwang, who lacks but one place of being the head of the Chinese navy, will entitle her to a robust sa-Vice President of Harriman Lines lute as she passes the forts at the harbor entrance. Representatives of the state and navy departments will be on hand to welcome the little ship as she reaches her anchorage. They will be reinforced by Commander Robert P. Forscher of the militia navy San Francisco, Sept. 10,-Unless Ju-lius Kruttschnitt, vice president and ert P. Forshaw of the militia navy of New York state, especially assigned to the task by Governor Dix and by a committee of city dignitaries which Mayor Gaynor will be asked to ap-

## CHILDREN HARVEST TOBACCO. School Opening Postponed.

Suffield. Conn.. Sept. 10.—Tobacco buyers have been busy the past week and a good many crops have been picked at fair prices. As usual, the American Tobacco company has set the pace and the price. Primed tobacco has proved to be in great demand and pace and the price. Primed tobacco has proved to be in great demand and a large per cent, of the tobacco to be harvested by this method has been bargained for at prices considerably higher than that paid for crops harvested in the usual manner. The growers have been busy this week getting their crops under cover, as the cool nights bring fear of an early frost. It is said that 500 school children are at work in the tobacco fields of the town CORNERSTONE OF CHURCH Blessed Sacrament, in course of erection here, in the presence of 11,000 persons this afternoon, including 45 priests of the diocese, Mayor Hotch-kiss of Waterbury and other city officials, and delegates from all the surrounding parishes. Delegations were also present from New Haven, South Norwalk, Bridgeport and Hartford, Previous to the exercises a street parade, composed of 3,000 members of church societies, and three bands, was held. This is the second new Catholic parish organized here within a year. is said that 500 school children are at work in the tobacco fields of the town and the opening of the schools was postponed for a week to give the growers the benefit of their halp. The work of stringing the leaves on the lath when the tobacco is picked from the stalks also gives employment to a large number of women who find the work light and remunerative.

Newport, R. I., Sept. 10.—John Gil-pin, a well-known newspaper corre-spondent, died of heart trouble today at the age of 63 years. Mr. Gilpin

Catania, Sicily, Sept. 10.—Mount Etna is showing a revival of activity.
Two new craters have opened about
2,000 feet above the sea level. An
immense cloud of smoke is visible
over Etna and ashes are being erupted
continually. Frequent earthquake
shocks occur at intervals of from five
to ten minutes and can be felt in all
the surrounding viilages, where the
inhabitants are greatly alarmed nhabitants are greatly alarmed.

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Kansas City, Mo., Sept. 40.—Henry C. Gumbel, Jr., a wealthy business man of Wichita, Kan., and son of a local capitalist, who was shot here showing made in his first year at the showing banks as rapidly as practically as practically as the postal savings banks as rapidly as practically as the president was linformed, stood at the first of the country, and by January 1, the postal savings system will be in operation in all of the 8,000 first, second and third class effices.

### Sopwith Drops Trolley Crash Into the Ocean Caused by Fog

ENGLISH AVIATOR NARROWLY ESCAUES DEATH.

Boats-Two Other Accidents at Aviation Meet at Brighton Beach Track.

New York, Sept. 10.—Thomas Sop-with, the English aviator, dropped into the ocean off the Brighton Beach race track while making a flight with Leo Hammond as a passenger this after-noon, and the two men had a narrow escape from drowning. Two other ac-cidents also marked the day at the track but neither was serious track, but neither was serious. Engine Stops Dead.

Using a Wright biplane, Sopwith started on a flight over the ocean. When about 150 yards out he tried to turn, and the engine stopped dead just as the aeroplane was headed for shore. Sopwith jockeyed with his planes in a vain endeavor to coast to the beach, but the biplane upended and dived into the water.

Rescued Just in Time Motor boat men in the vicinity saw what had happened and headed for the spot. They reached there just in time to pick up the two men, who had been carried down with the machine and had a hard fight to disengage themselves. Beyond the ducking neither suffered any harm.

Grahame-White Also Has Accident. Later Claude Grahame-White, another Englishman, started in his Nieuport monoplane from the center of the track with a mechanic as passenger, just as the machine was leaving the ground it ran its nose into a hurdle on a water jump on the race track numered. water jump on the race track, punged cham through it and brought up in the ditch beyond. Grahame-White climbed out ship. with blood trickling from a cut in his face. The mechanic was uninjured.

George Seatty Strikes Fence.

The monoplane's propeller was smashed and the machine was otherwise damaged. The third accident of

Philadelphia, Sept. 10.—Thomas J. Towle, an aviator, of No. 12 Prince for street, Boston, was stricken with blindness today in the Pennsylvania railroad station here while on his way to York, Pa., to give exhibition flights. Towle was taken to a hospital near the station and later left the city for

Physicians who examined his monoplane, and that he thought his cyes became affected while watching mechanics repairing parts of his machine under the glare of a strong electrical apparatus.

Young Woman of Asheville, N. C., Had Been Missing Since Thursday.

Asheville, N. C., Sept. 10.—Miss Myrtle Hawkins, 17 years old, daughter of W. H. Hawkins, a Henderson-ville jeweler, disappeared from her home last Thursday and today her body, bearing suspicious bruises, was found in Lake Occola, three miles from Hendersonville. Deep bruises on the head and face gave rise to suspicions of foul play, though the coroner's verdict was "death by means unknown."

eventual municipal ownership, he readily agreed to, I am now converting the was simply acting as an agent for somebody or some corporation that wanted to get me. Any statement I might make would be seized upon by the conspirators and used to further their attack. When the proper time comes there will be a statement and it will be a sensation."

Joseph D. Martin, the chief of police, was not arrested, somewhat to his

and Physician Arrive.

Edward Toole of 920 State street, this city, are inquiring as to his whereabouts. Toole was struck by an automobile while walking on State street and knocked down. He was taken to his home and later when two policemen, accompanied by a physician, went to the house to ascertain his condition, they were seen by Toole, who jumped out of a rear window and has not since been seen.

Believes That a Divorced Persons
Ehould Not Remarry in Another State.

Beverly, Mass., Sept. 10.—One of the subjects President Taft may discuss on his western trip is marriage and divorce. Op this he has decided convictions, which have been strengthened by the numerous recent separations of vell-known people. The president believes that a person who has been divorced in one state should not be allowed to remarry in another state. He was unmarried.

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Columbia, Conn., Sept. 10.—Mrs. Harrier Youmans, 94 years old, the oldest resident of the town, died at her home here today after a short illness. Mrs. Youmans was always active in church work, and was for \$2 years a member of the Sunday schol of the First Congregational church.

Hec Cross Seals Still Sold.

New York, Sept. 10.—Charles L. Magee, secretary of the American National Association for the Study and Prevention of Tuberculosis, made public today, denies recently circulated reports that Postmaster General Hitchcock had prohibited the sale of Red Cross scale.

NINETEEN HURT IN REAR-END COLLISION AT GRAND RAPIDS.

HAMMOND ALSO IN BIPLANE ONE OF INJURED MAY DIE

Sustained Internal Injuries-Conduc tor Has Broken Arm.

Grand Rapids, Mich., Sept. 10 .on the Interurban railway met in a rear-end collision one mile east Fog Obscured Car Ahead.

There was a heavy fog and it is believed the motorman was unable to see that the car ahead had stopped to let off passengers. Motorman's Legs Broken.

Motorman Darling of Grand Rapids had both legs broken and received in-ternal injuries. Conductor Has Broken Arm. Conductor Smith, also of Grand Rapids, sustained a broken arm and mi

BIG SPELLING BEE PLANNED. There Will Be 14,500 Contestants in Kane County, III.

Chicago, Sept. 10 .- An old fashioned spelling bee in the public schools of Kane county will have 14,500 contest-ants. The contest starts with the be-ginning of the school near next Mon-

of each room will be decided, then the championship of each school, and next the championship of the city or town-

CHLOROFORM'S FUMES FATAL TO A WOMAN. Bourgoes Took Anaesthetic to Have Some Teeth Extracted.

Hartford, Conn., Sept. 10.—Mrs. Ade-laide Bourgoes of Babcock street died today from chloroform poisoning administered as an anaesthetic while he ministered as an anaesthetic while her teeth were being extracted. A physi-cian was in attendance, upon whom no blame is attached. She was 54 years old and leaves her husband, one son and four daughters.

INDIANA MAYOR INDIGNANT. Knotts of Gary Denies Charges of Bribery.

Gary. Indiana, September 10,— "The charge that I took money for my support on the heating franchise s who examined his eyes to say whether the affliction of the permanent. Towle said is a hangar in the rear of where he keeps a Bleriot and that he thought his e affected while watching repairing parts of his match the glare of a strong paratus.

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SUSPICIOUS BRUISES

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Joseph D. Martin, the chief of police, was not arrested, somewhat to his surprise, "I don't understand it at all," he said. "They never left me out before, and it is not natural to be loose when they have the mayor in the Boston and Maine railroad freight yard in Newburyport, Mass., cost 13 year old Frank Johnson his life. He jumped out of a car directly in front of a switch engine.

Eben W. Sears, a Former Policement. loose when they have the mayor in

Supporters of Mayor Knotts and the five aldermen arrested Friday, charged with accepting bribes in connection with the granting of a franchise New Haven, Sept. 10.—Relatives of tion with the granting of a line Edward Toole of 920 State street, this talked yesterday of swearing out warrant charging bribery against the city are inquiring as to his wherea-

### TO FIGHT WOMAN SUFFRAGE. Prominent Los Angeles Men Form

New Haven, Sept. 10.—Christian Oleson, 27 years old, of Boston, who was serving a twenty days' sentence in the New Haven county jail for trespassing on railroad property, committed suicide in the tree in the department of the interior: oleson, 37 years old, of Boston, who was serving a twenty days' sentence in the New Haven county jail for trespassing on railroad property, committed suicide in that institution today by hanging himself with his belt to his cell door. He was to have been released Wednesday and no reason is known for his act. He was unmarried.

Editors' Quarrel Ends in Murder. wing of the anti-suffrage faction shall operate. Many members of the committee yesterday expressed the belief that "it is their duty to protect women from the ballot," and declared that the great majority of California women do not desire suffrage.

Boston, Sept. 10.—Struck in the head by a baseball when umpiring a game at Riverside-on-the-Charles today, Myer Schlosberg, aged 20 years, of Newton, died at the Boston relief hospital tonight, where he was taken after the accident. Schlosberg was attending an outing of the civic service house of Newton, of which he was an made in the case,

Miss Nellie Beese is the first woma

James Newman, Aged 71, a notorious pickpocket, was sentenced to 19 years at Trenton, N. J.

No Moving Pictures in which Benial N. Binford appears will be allowed to be exhibited in Providence.

Mrs. Harriet D. Conley of Chicago who shot Robert Bruce Watson of Chicago, was released on bond.

Ten Buildings in the Center of Santiago, Cuba, were completely destroyed by fire Saturday. The loss is estimated at \$100,000. Following an Operation for internal trouble, Frank J. Look, a prominent manufacturer of Northampton, Mass.,

died at his home Dr. William Sturgiss Bigelow has given to the Boston Museum of Fine

Hundreds of People Are Leaving arcelona and other places in northern

an enteric malady. Senator LaFollette Will Wait unti after congress convenes early in December, before announcing his candi-

acy for president. Heliodorus, the "Mad Monk of Tsar-itsym," has declared that attacks upon Jews and Russian intelligent classes

A Fusillade of Shots followe a bitter quarrel of laborers at Perth Amboy, N J., and two Italians fell dead and an-other was severely wounded.

The Panama Canal has just been ex-ended to its full width of 500 feet and about half of its complete depth of 41

Mrs. Rebecca Jeffries, mother of th is in Alaska on a hunting trip. The First Rivet Will Be Driven and clenched in the keep plates of the battleship New York to be the largest warship in the world, at Camden, N. J., to-

Missouri, who graduated fom the Nav-al Academy last year, has resigned from the navy on account of defective

Will G. Comstock, convicted in a western land fraud case, was released from jail in Nebraska to attend the funeral of his partner, who die in a cell beside him.

William M. Lewis, President Lin White House employe, is in a critical condition at his home as a result of a stroke of apoplexy.

Morocco met at Hamburg and adopted resolutions urging the German foreign office to insist upon adequate economic

wound he inflicted in his head.

The Knitting Mills of the William Carter company at Needham Heights, Mass., which have been running on short time since July 4, will commence short time since July 4, will co-operations on full time today.

Ferguson, a saloon keeper of Lowell. made to Boston was completed by the White Star line steamer Arabic when she passed Boston light 5 days, 22

insane at Bridgewater.

Colliding With a Tree when a few feet from the ground, a biplane operated by Charles N. Kolstadt, a youthful aviator, was damaged and the amateur operator shaken up in Quincy, Mass., Saturday.

Arms of the Ohio state senate, recently convicted of aiding and abetting in the alleged bribery of State Senator L. R. Andrews, was sentenced to serve three years in the penitentiary.

Shoemaker of that town, is dead, and Dr. N. C. Buliard, also of Attleboro, is in a serious condition at the Emerson hospital, Boston. The Total Vote in Thursday's demo-eratic primaries at Richmond Va., shows majorities of 32,055 and 36,253.

snows majorities of \$2,005 and \$6,255 respectively, for Senators Martin and Swanson, nominated to succeed themselves in the federal senate over Congressmen Jones and Glass. Gleaners Won't Go to Detroit Fair Be

Ann Arbor, Sept. 10.—At a meeting of the Braun arbor of the Gleaners in Northfield township a resolution was unanimously adopted to boycott the state fair at Detroit on Sept. 18 because of the presence of President Taft at the fair grounds on that day. The resolution declares that the president "has shown himself in favor of ruining home markets and agriculturalists by forcing reciprocity upon the country."

# Condensed Telegrams CHILDREN PARADE FOR PROHIBITION

The Old Atlantic Transport liner Street Demonstrations by Members of Sunday Schools in Cities of Maine

# "WETS" AND "DRYS" CLAIM VICTORY

Voters of Pine Tree State to Pass Upon Question of Continuing Constitutional Prohibition Today-W. C. T. U. Prepared For Active Work at Polls-Great Interest Indicated by the Heavy Registration.

Portland, Me, Sept. 10.—With but a few hours remaining before the actual voting begins tomorrow, the campaigners for and against constitutional prohibition spent a busy Sunday. Tonight both sides claimed victory.

Sept. 10.—With but a springs will be served. No little fun has been made of this sort of campaigning by the opposition speakers and press.

Old Arguments Advanced.

"Arguments in the campaign have

"Arguments in the campaign have not been marked by much originality. They were confined chiefly to the as-sertion on the one hand that better Children Parade the Streets. The no-license adherents were par icularly active in the cities, Sunday regulation can be obtained by local option and high license than by prohibition, and, on the other, to the declaration that legalization of the liquor traffic must lead to more drunkenschool children parading the streets, carrying banners inscribed with "Vota No," "Vote for us," and similar More than 30,000 children ness and crime.

In many of the churches of the state prayers were offered for the retention

Meetings Up to Last Minute.

The supporters of the constitutional amendment have continued their neetings up to the very eve of the A Big Vote Expected.

Whatever the result may be, indi-cations are for one of the biggest votes in the history of the state. At the last state election, which the democrats won, more than 140,000 voters cast their ballot and with fair weather indicated for tomorrow that num-ber is expected to be exceeded.

Free Lunch and Free Water. On election day (tomorrow) the Women's Christian Temperance union will have a number of novel features in aid of the temperance cause. A white horse, with a snow-white blanket, bearing the initials of the organization, will make the round of the polls, and free lunch and free water from one of Maine's noted

MISS BARTON'S CONDITION NOT CONSIDERED SERIOUS

health of Miss Clara Barton, founder of the American Red Cross society, The Body of Seven Year Old Annie Lemberger, who was kidnapped at Madison, Wis., Wednesday night, was found in Lake Monona Saturday. She had been murdered.

Who has been ill at her summer home at Oxford, are not well founded, as:
signing of the bill, as passed by the governor, general assembly, by the governor, by the governor, by the nephew, Stephen E, Barton, When Miss Barton tok her bed a few days ago there was considerable alarm expenses.

Newport, R. I., Sept. 10.—Despite the action of the Episcopal clergy in this assembly, but was turned down. At action of the Episcopal clergy in this city in denouncing from every pulpit of the denomination here last Sunday the Sunday amusements of society, no decrease in gaiety was noticeable here today. There were the usual number of dinner parties and golf and tennis matches among the summer colonists. Baseball games also attracted the usual number of spectators, and the cigar and ice cream stores did their customary holiday business.

Found in New York Hotel With Mar Who Is Held for Abduction.

of a bulldog in the room of a down-town hotel, next to that occupied by Benjamin W. Boulton of Montpelier, Vt., and 10 years old Mabel Bryant, led to Boulton's arrest yesterday. Boulled to Boulton's arrest yesterday. Boulton was charged with abducting the child, having registered at the hotel last Tuesday as "B. W. Boulton and child," and was held later in default of \$3,000 bai! for examination today.

The girl was said to be the daughter of a Salvation Army officers of Montpelier. A despatch from Montpelier, however, says: "Benjamin W. Boulton, who was arrested in court today on a charge of abductiton, has lived here Top a number of years, but so far as known has never had a regular is unknown to the police."

When arraigned in police court
Boulton said that the parents of the
child had asked him to take the little
girl from Montpelier to Winsted,

Conn., where she was to enter school. This he did, he said, afterward obtaining permission of the captain of the barracks to take Mabel to New York for a few days. Besides the abduction charge, one of a more serious patters was also lodged against ous nature was also lodged against

Westchester, Pa., Sept. 10.—The grand jury which is conducting an investigation into the lynching of Zach Walker at Coatesville on the night of Aug. 13 came into the Chester county court yesterday and asked to be released from further consideration of the case, but Judge Butler refused to grant the request. The jurors were ordered to resume their investigation this week. The jury offered the bourt this week. The jury offered the court its report on the investigation so far as it had gone, but the judge refused to receive it. The report, it is said, de-

commit suicide will not thereby in-validate their claims. This was decided at last week's session of the biennial convention. Three suicides have been reported since last conven-

show that drunkenness, insanity and crime are less, and home-owning more, in Maine than in the neighboring state of Massachusetts. The Dally Eastern Argus, for the "wets," thinks it riddled his figures, however, by showing that even if the comparison is true of Massachusetts, it fails when New York, New Jersey, and even the prohibition states of Vermont and New Hampshire are used. Heavy Registration

Littlefield Champions Cause of "Drys"

ex-Congressman Charles E. Intelled, who has held up the hands of pro-hibition by citing many statistics to show that drunkenness, insanity and crime are less, and home-owning

Both sides found ardent cha though no one was more active than ex-Congressman Charles E. Littlefield.

Registration was unusually surpassing previous records surpassing previous records by a good margin, and showing that the issue has aroused much interest. Those who believe in maintaining the present law have used the argument of health to good effect, quoting at length the statistics of insurance companies showing the comparative mortality of drinkers and non-drinkers.

COMMISSION ON DUTY Members of Railroad Commission Assume New Duties Today.

who has been ill at her summer home sion, for the sixty days following the her advanced age, 90 years. The trouble, said her nephew today, was due to a slight muscular weakness of the heart and is not serious.

NO ABATEMENT OF THE

SUNDAY GAIETY AT NEWPORT

Protests of the Episcopal Clergy Last

Wash Have No Effect.

The creating of a commission has

A SPECIAL SESSION OF THE LEGISLATURE Governor Baldwin May Call One to Redistrict the State.

New Haven, Conn., Sept. 10.-If the general assembly fails to pass a measure redistricting the state as to congressmen and state snators, there is a possibility that Governor Baldwin may call a special session of the legislature call a special session of the legislature for that purpose. In speaking of the matter, Governor Baldwin said:

"I regard the matter of redistricting the state, both for congressmen and state senators, as one of high importance. I still hope for action by the general assembly with respect to each. So long as this hope remains I should not care to discuss the question as to what might by my duty should nothing be done in this direction."

Haverhill, Mass., Sept. 10,-By the capsizing of a rowboat in Crystal lake today, Albert and Wallace Armour, brothers, aged 21, and 18 years, respectively, were drowned. Daniel Day, their companion, was saved by the heroism of Forest Damon, who saw the upset from shore and plunged into the water to the respue the water to the rescue.

Newfoundland for Reciprocity Ottawa, Ont., Sept. 16.-Word has reached Ottawa that if Canada ratifies reciprocity a movement will be launched in Newfoundland for union with the dominion. Newfoundland has several times, without success, sought better trading terms with the United

Great Council of Red Men.

its report on the investigation so far as it had gone, but the judge refused to receive it. The report, it is said, declared that the jury was unable to get sufficient evidence to warrant the indictment of any additional suspects in the lynching.

Pastor Gives \$7,000 Organ.

New Haven, Sept. 10.—It was an nounced today that the new \$7,000 organ which has been installed in the Church of the Sacred Heart, and which was used today for the first time, was the personal gift of the pastor Gives \$7,000 Organ. Pastor Gives \$7,000 Organ. chael McKeon,

Became Confused on Tracks.

Bristol, Conn., Sept. 18.—Constantine Martusiak became confused while crossing the railroad tracks here today and was struck by a Waterbury bound train and received internal injuries which may cause his death. He was taken to a Bartford.